

## Department of Pesticide Regulation



## **Comments on Proposed Plan for the Air Monitoring Network**

Please leave this on the agenda table, give to a DPR staff member, or mail to Pam Wofford, Environmental Monitoring Branch, Department of Pesticide Regulation, 1001 I Street, P.O. Box 4015, Sacramento, CA 95812-4015 by February 19, 2010. Name (optional):\_\_\_\_\_ Affiliation (optional): You may explain your recommendations on the back if you wish, or attach additional pages. 1. **Number of samples:** If DPR collects more than one sample a week in each community, it probably means that we will have to reduce the number of pesticides or communities we monitor. How many samples do you recommend that DPR collect? (Check one.) □ 1 sample each week in each community □ 2 samples each week in each community □ \_\_\_\_ samples each week in each community 2. **Pesticide to be monitored:** DPR plans to monitor 25 to 34 pesticides. If more pesticides are added, it will probably mean that we will have to reduce the number of samples or communities we monitor. What are your recommendations for pesticides to monitor? □ No additional pesticides, or check one or more of the following Chloropicrin □ MITC (methyl isothiocyanate) □ Other (please specify): 3. Community selection: Depending on the number of samples and the number of pesticides, DPR will monitor in two to five communities in geographically different regions. The counties below are listed according to pesticide use rating (highest to lowest). In the left column, please rank the counties in your order of priority, with "1" being the highest and "6" the lowest. The communities in parenthesis are those we think most likely candidates in that county; please indicate your preference by checking one of the two communities.  $\_$  San Joaquin County ( $\square$ Linden  $\underline{or}$   $\square$ Ripon) \_\_\_ Kern County (□Shafter or □Wasco) \_\_\_ Monterey County (□Greenfield <u>or</u> □Salinas) \_\_\_\_ Ventura County (□Camarillo or □Oxnard) \_\_\_ Fresno County – west side ( $\square$ Huron <u>or</u>  $\square$ Mendota) \_\_\_ Fresno County – east side (□Reedley or □Parlier) Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(explain choice on back)

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Please explain your selections as well as provide any other comments on back.



